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AME THE CRILDREN HORE! Each day, when the glow of the susset.

Failes in the western sky,
And the was ones, tired of playing,
Go tripping lightly by,
I meal a way from my husband, Asleep in his easy chair, and watch from the open doc Their faces fresh and fair.

Llone in the dear old home Alone in the dear old homestead.
That once was full of life.
Einging with girlish laughter.
Echoting boyish atrifa.
We two are waiting together.
And oft as the shadows come.
With tremulous voice he calls me,
"It is night! Are the children he

"Yes, love," I answer him gently,
"They're all home long ago,"
And I sing in my quivering tremble A sengue soft and low,
Till shoold man drops to slumber,
With his head upon his hand,
And I tell to myself the number
Ashome in a better land.

Home, where never a serrow
Shall dim their eyes with tears,
Where the smile of God is on ther
Through all the Summer years,
I know, pet my aums are empty
That fandly folded coven,
And the mether heart within me.
Is almost starved for heaven.

Sometimes in the dunk of evening Fonly shut my eyes, And the oblidren are all about me Lost the way to my breast,

A breath and the vision is litted Away on the wings of light, And again we two are togother, All alone in the night. They tell me his mind is falling.

And still at the Supamer suncet Pades away In the West And I answer, with eyes uplified,

OUT IN THE WILDS.

gion, il mumy vessel about twenty

nibal species, black, low-browed, thick-skulled, and but little removed from the brufe animal himself. He could make himself understood, however. knew the country well, and stood in uch salutary awe of the wonderful white man, that I felt perfectly safe in Phenix Block, Ravenna, O. trusting myself with him far beyond the reach of friends, and in places where I would not have ventured with one day we had thus ventured off

when suddenly we were both startled by a auccession of the wildest and most discordant shricks I had ever heard—though with something human in the sound—accompanied by the the bushes shood of us as if the cresture, whatever it was, was hurriedly

At the first sound we both stopped the black trembling, frightened, and as white as the nature of his skin would permit—and cooking my double barrelled rifle, I stood on the defensive and at the same time anxiously in-

uired what it was." My guide replied in broken English, that he had picked up in his intercourse with white traders, that It was a serrible gorills, and that unless we turned back at once, and made good our retreat, we should probably never have the pleasure of seeing our friends

collection of enrication. Therefore I and would not obey my will, a fact for was rather in favor of going forward which I, have never been able to actual ness of nerve, quickness of sight, and reliability of my two loaded barrels, now not more than five or six pages would be sufficient to protect me from actual harm, to say nothing of the assistance in a straight of my companion, who was armed with a spear that

'Can't think of turning back for a pere gorilla, that has been frightened straight to the mark, and lodged in the at our approach as to have fled away breast of the gorilla. It did not bring shicking,' said I, in a cool tone of conand induce him to go forward. What, two brave hunters, armed as we are, yells, he bounded forward for his re-to run away from a beast that rooms yenge. Quick as lightning the gallant

told, not balf so courageous in feeling unharmed. as I seemed in action.

by some horrible visitant from the he had displayed in my behalf.

or a Dante, I could only hope to convey to your minds a faint ides of the likened, unless you can imagine the his native jungle. bark of a dog, the growl of a tiger, the snarling of a wolf, the trumpeting of an elephant, all united and com-bined with sulphurous vomitings from the regions of Pondemonium.

In shape he was like a man, but like a man deformed-with a monstrous big chest and body, small head planted down between his shoulders, large, their bow-legs terminating in frauds them, improbable as they seemed instead of feet. The stood erect like a Here, new, is a tale, not of saakes, bet obvious. Among them are and man covered all over, fees and all, we believed it. It is based apon good with shurt black bair. His head was authority—good men who have will-newed the rest colored vote. The registration was shorly in the nessed the affair, believe it. It runs hands of the Kellogg officials, with thes:

Some time in the year of our Lord because for the vote of the State can be found. Such causes exist and are obvious. Among them are:

1. The registration was incorrect, and exceeded the rest colored vote. The registration was wholly in the hands of the Kellogg officials, with whom a Republican committee, with thes:

Some time in the year of our Lord.

I stood on the defensive, wisely dewith so much terror. One moment an icy chill would make me shiver, and aghast. The air around him became in streams. I glanced at the African, and saw him firmly planted, with his around and mocked him, a legion of spear polesed for the onset, his eyes devils, duly commissioned and equiprease beaving.

'No run, master!' he said, in low, bick, almost inarticulate tones; 'no strong as elephant. Must kill!'

'No are he come nigh-den fire brough beart.'

He was coming nearer and nearer long neglected.

monater had once more stopped to sees. I am about to end this ens-

I took deliberate alm -- but, spite of s mas afraid to pull the trigger, and twice I lowered the weapon to get more steadings of nerve. It was as if some feer at spell was upon me and desire to see with my own eyes, and, sathe thirdeshild seemed as if the fla-if possible, add the 4kin of it to my gere of my right hand were paralyzed collection of enricables. Therefore I and would not obey my will, a fact for

now not more than five or six paces divided ps, and he appeared as if to make his flust desperate rush. Delay now would be death—an awful douth -and summoning all my will, I pulled both triggers in succession. Only one berral was discharged by the act, the other missing fire; but one balt went him to the earth, however, but made bim wildly furious; and gnashing his tooth, and uttering most unearthly Mocha threw bimself before me and are been spent in a lid?'

The anake, him big,' replied Mocha, it aside all shivered, while the hand of Ireland has 1,050: England a lit aside all shivered, while the hand of Ireland has 1,050: England a

Master him see no go back-him he struck it against a tree with a force FOSTER'S REPORT ON THE that shivered the stock and bent the I had by this time made up my mind from nearly double; then throwing it to go forward through the thicket down, putting his hands over his eyen If I went slone; and ordering breast, and uttering the most terrible Mocha, in a tone that admitted of no howlings and shrickings of rage and question, to keep at my heels, as he pain, he hastily disappeared in the valued his life, I resolutely advanced a dense jungle, leaving me to thank few paces, though if truth must be heaven I had so miraculously escaped

RAVENNA, O., THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1879.

Mochs had been stunued, and his But at the end of those few paces I breast badly lacerated, but he was came to another sudden stand, for I neither killed nor mortally wounded; saw a denser thicket some fifteen or and dressing his wounds as well as I twenty yards ahead, agitated by the could, I got the poor fellow upon his moving of some heavy body within feet, and assisted him back to the vesit, while almost immediately there ap- sel, where our surgeons attended to peared, in plain view, a monster of his case, and soon restored him to such hideous appearance that I felt the health. I did not forget that he had blood, freeze through my veins and saved my life, and I assure you I made gather about my heart, as if appalled him proud and happy of the heroism

Whether the gorilla died of his wounds or not, I never knew, and party has long had control of the ma-My powers of description are limit-wounds or not, I never knew, and ed, but had I the language of a Milton never felt the least curiosity to go and see. Certain it is, he took his skin away with him, and I was only too hideouspess of the living creature that glad to see the last of him. He was now stood before me; as to its voice- the first of his kind I ever saw alive, its tones of warning, anger, and defi- and with heaven's permission, he will ance-I know not to what they can be be the last I shall ever look upon in

A LIVING HELL.

As all kinds of stories are in circu lation throughout the country relative following from the Jacksonport Her-

story; others have, and we have read or cause for the vote of the State can

inter, camerance copiets, rolled and one thousand, eight hundred and co-operated. In only three particles, and refreated sharply. There Lawrence county, near Smithville, unfair or insufficient registration. On was but little nose, with high, promiwas but little nose, with high, promipent chack, bones.

The mouth was immense, with hage,
massive jaws, and short, thin lips that titles up one of the rivers in that paried angrity only to display a for- into the earth for the want of moleture. servatives who had been co-operating of natives. A portion of my leisure time I spent in hunting through the thick woods and dark jungles for which that coast region is famous, and it was on one of those excursions that I first met a living gorilla.

My guide was a native of the cannibile species, black, low-browed, thick.

Some thankless forest, leaving the farmer's crop parching in the sun.

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One day last week a dark cloud came intration of white voters was 10,000. the open air, and invoked divine tently upon us, beat his breast as be-assistance—he prayed for the rain to fore, and attered that prolonged and descend. But it didn't. It floated lazily away; whereupon the farmer grew wroth, and uttered blasphemous termined to reserve my fire for the words. He cursed the cloud and the approaching crisis of my fate, hoping Giver of rain at a terrible rate. He and praying I might be successful in charged and anorted, lavishing all the untarily turned out to sustain a govputting an end to the monster. I had been in many perilous situations before, but none that ever affected me Suddenly he stopped with a half utthe registered blacks would have you
untarily turned out to sustain a government under which the prosperity
of the State, and their wages and the
value of their shares of production has
to much town. tered oath on his tougue, and stood the next, perhaps, I would feel a burn charged and loaded with sulphurious out all the States was seriously affecting flush sending out the perspiration odors and rent by diabolical shouts change resulting largely from the

and screams. Satsnic faces rose up listed, his nostrils expanded, and his ped, stood by him, struggling to sever them to adamantine rocks of fire, reaching their flery claws for him, and cape him by run. Him swift as tiger breathing infernal exhalations upon him. Presently there was an unearthly noise; the devil left him in charge of one old hag, who also vanished.

after pouring some liquid fire down by slow degrees a few paces at a time

He is now at home, and paces the interest to avoid giving any such prewith a short, awful roaring and breastbeating interval between, and I thus amoke lame form black and lame moke issue from his cars and eyes. had time to think over many of my No one can touch him. He neither had time to think over many of my No one can touch him. He neither down the propositions or suggestions sine, and say prayers that had been too eats nor drinks, but says he is doom- which were made in the early part of ed to suffer the pangs of hell in his proper person—with his mortal coll around him. People fleck to see him from all points; a minister from this circuit has left for that purpose.

We venture no opinion on the mathematical parties and collection of the campaign, for refusal to employ those colored voters who would not co-operate with them, and generally sought, by combining with the color-operate combinations against the Kellogg candidates were made in many parishes by men of all parties and col-

simmer down to occasional electric Eparks thrown out by the friction of his clothing. He can live a long time without eating, under those circumstatances. Will not some scientific mind explore and explain the mystery."

Summarizing from the census of 1870, the Journal of Commerce and explains the relative num.

swers a question of the relative number of the sexes thus: Of the 38,558, 371 persons in the United States, according to the last national census (this was in 1870, there are over 43, 000,000 now) 19,493,565 were males, and 19,064,806 were females, 983 women to 1,000 men. No census of the swenty-nine majority to the Juiou."

tion as did exist in the State was rather in the Interest of the Republicans and of hostility to the Uniou."

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At that moment I had not a single 1021 went of the came back against me decree, which has but 940 women to 1,000 men. The total of all Europe is and fair election. In fact after the came back against me decree, which has but 940 women to 1,000 men. The total of all Europe is and fair election. In fact after the came back against me decree, which has but 940 women to 1,000 men. The total of all Europe is and fair election. In fact after the

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February 28rd, 1875] The following is the report submited by Mr. Foster:

The undersigned, a majority of the Committee on the state of the South, espectfully report: That they can not agree to the reort made to the committee by Messrs.

Hoar, Wheeler and Frye. The laws inimical to the people of Louisiana referred to in their report, have been repealed for years Except during the chism of Governor Warmouth in 1872, the Republican

chinery of the State. The late registration shows an excase of the colored over the white votere, giving 90,781 colored to 76,823. In the absence of any direct syldence that the late elections are not free and fair, the assumption by the majority that enough colored voters must there have been prevented from voting at the late election by the recollection of Man Living Near Smithsville. the Colfax and Coushatta killings, and Arkansas, Burning up Alive. by other riots which occurred years by other riots which occurred years before, to have changed the election throughout the State, is an assumpto the burning man, we publish the tion so violent, when it is recollected that both those parishes elected a full Kellogg ticket by Republican majorities, as not to be received, if any oth-

returned by the census while the registration of white voters was 10,000.

2. The whole number of voters registered was 167,604. Of these 146,523 voted. This is a larger proportion of registered voters than usually vote in any of the Northern States. In an agricultural State, thinly settled, where long journeys had often to be made to reach the polls, it is unreasonable to

change resulting largely from the fi-nancial distress of the people, and which should, therefore, naturally have been even larger in Louisiana than elsewhere.

4. It became the interest of the Con-

by every fair means, the colored vote.
Parties who were alleged to have
threatened blacks, even with refusal
of employment were subject to prompt

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State such a feeling of intimidation as would justify the assumption that but for that feeling the State would have gone Republican. All experience shows that the result of the election of fore knows that it was a large section of the son shows that the result of the election of fore knows that it was a large section of the son shows that the result of the election of fore knows that it was a large section of the son shows that the result of the election of the knows that it was a large section of the son shows that the result of the election of the knows that it was a large section of the son shows that the result of the election of the knows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the son shows that the result of the election of the

ber, 1874, the people of the Btate of Louisiana did fairly have a tree, peaceable and full registration and election, in which a clear Conservative majority was elected to the Lower House of Representatives, of which majority the Conservatives were deprived by the unjust, illegal and arbitrary action of the Returning Board we are all in the war, were the fruits agreed.

unanimous in finding the fact that the reated the Returning Board has defeated the will of the people as expressed by them at the poils on Nevember 3, 1874.

The people then elected to the Low-r House of their Legislature a majority of Conservative members. A porrefused their certificates. This is an act of injustice to the individuals, of gravest danger to the State and free government, and ought to be immediately corrected by any power competent to correct it.

The resolution recommending the recognition of Governor Kellogg is based upon general information, and not upon evidence. On this point no testimony was taken, either by the committee or any part of it. Kellogg may or may not have been elected in 1872, but there is no evidence to show the fact, or if there be, it has neither been sought nor found by this committee.

Messrs. Forter and Phelps think that the popular belief, taking both Con-servative and Radical circles incline on the whole to justify Kellogy and Penn's claims; and that, as Kellogy is and has been the acting Governor of Louisiana for the past two years, to deny his right and install another in his place after this lapse of time, might involve much mischief to the legal and political interests of the State.

To avoid the mischief and contained of a change, a majority of the citizens of Louisians seem willing to accept as a compromise Raileg's recognition, and the restoration to the Conservatives of the coutrol of the Lower lot box stuffing, their names, and

and Phelps do not wish to eppose the recommendation that the Administration of Governor Kellogg be recog-nized; neither, in view of the fact that they knew nothing of the merits of

dence, do they wish to be anderstood as urging it.

They only wish to record their agreement with those of their associates who believe that such a compromise might, by making an end of the uncertainty in Louisians, be on the whole less intolerable than the present distress.

But to any resolution recognizing Kellogg, Messrs. Fotter and Marchall are ntterly opposed. They find noth-

are utterly opposed. They find nothing to justify the belief of Kellogg's election. That he seized the Government by the aid of Federal troops, through a fraudulent order, which prevented the counting and return of the

which, under pretexts that can readily be found, any State Government may be overthrown, the will of the people defeated, fraud and violence made permanent, and republican forma perverted to destroy liberty.

In their judgment all that is needed in Louisians to to withdraw the Federal frooms and leave the needle of

eral troops, and leave the people of that State to govern themselves.

CHARLES FOSTER,

CLARESON N. POTTER,

WM. WALTER PHELIS, SAMURE MARSHALL,

rominent an officer of the governistracy of the nation! It was devoted in the main to a defence of his policy of resumption, and to a rehearest o the manner in which the public fiebt ject, however, he devoted a few min-utes to political questions which, he declared, were more important than those of hard money or soft money greenbacks or bank notes. This part of his speech, brief though it is is so prolific of falsehoods that we cannot permit it to pass aquoticed. In speaking of the revival of the doctrine of States' rights by the Democratic party, he perpetrates so many offenses against the truth that they can best be

bands of those who would pervert our system of government and erect upon the ruins of the republic a monarchy if not a deepotism. The dectrine was not born of heatility to the Union. It had its existence at the time the Union was formed, was recognized in the declaration of independence, and in the constitution framed in 1787 as a legitimate and necessary part of our governmental avatam and believe a magazine all assets. has ever since been maintained and carefully guarded outside, but whe asserted by all statesmen worthy of the name, both North and South. It was never attacked until the Republican party came into power. The support any candidate for it

assisting in the escape of

1874 in Louisiana as returned to the Returning Board was natural, and to be only accounted for by the reasons we have given.

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NOW HE WASCONVERTED. Why General Tem Ewing Cut

When General Ewing left the Rethan three years thereafter-having. Mr. Seymour for the Preside people of Kansas had before that time conferred upon him high offices. He was one of the political leaders of the State, iu the line of promotion to the of the people at the State election, and to that end called on the Federal troops to break up the meeting of the time was, and ever since has been, highest honors; and the State at that party also then held the National and early all of the State Govern

Could personal and settleb could erations have induced this change? General Ewing returned to his as

The following letter, under date of November 10, 1867, taken from the National Intelligencer of November 30, 1867, gives the reasons why he could not support General Grant and the Republican party. It is addressed to Colonel O. A. Bassett of Lawrence, Kansas, and is as follows:

"Washington, Nov. 10, 1867.

Dear Colonel:—I have your letter of the 10th inst. advising me of the formation of Grant clubs by many of our comrades in Kansas, and asking

against the truth that they can best be pointed out in consecutive form thus:

Lie 1. "This doctrine has been the evil genius of American politics. It was born of hostility to the Union."

This is unqualifiedly false. Instead might possibly for a time be well as the consequence of the Union."